

SONS OF AMERICA
BEGIN THEIR PEACEFUL
INVASION OF THE CITY

Hundreds of Delegates Already
Here for Fiftieth Annual Con-
vention and Golden Jubilee
of Order

MORE THAN 25,000 COMING

Photographs illustrating this article will
be found on the pictorial page of this issue.

Hundreds of the visiting delegates to the
fiftieth annual convention and golden jubilee
of the Pennsylvania State Camp, Patriotic
Order Sons of America, began to pour into
this city early today. They were met at the
various railway terminals and ferries by
reception committees composed of members
of the local camps. More than 25,000 mem-
bers are expected to be present during the
convention, which officially opens here at 10
o'clock tomorrow morning in the Academy
of Music.

In addition to the many camps and com-
manderies from all sections of the State that
have been coming into Philadelphia on special
excursions, regular delegations from
New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, New
York, Virginia, Connecticut and Ohio have
arrived on special cars they had chartered.
Bureaus of information have been estab-
lished in nearly every large hotel in the
city for the benefit of the visiting bodies.

The official headquarters of the convention
is located in the Hotel Walton. A
ladies' committee, headed by Mrs. M. E. El-
strunk is chairman, has arranged a
program of entertainment for the wives and
families of the delegates.

The visiting members will be welcomed
by Mayor Smith, Judge John M. Patterson
and Howard B. French, president of the
Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce, at the
opening session tomorrow morning. The
doors of the Academy of Music will be
thrown open to the public at this meeting.
President C. L. Nonemaker, of the State
Camp, will make a response in behalf of the
convention.

The visiting delegates to the convention
are displaying keen interest in prospective
candidates for the State offices for 1916
and 1917, for the candidates will arrive
tomorrow afternoon following a general
business session in the Academy of Music.

State President C. S. Nonemaker, of Al-
toona, who is in charge of the re-election,
arrived early this morning with a band
of workers. He will have in the field
against him Ernest Edward Clark, of Pitts-
burgh, the present vice president, who is
the representative of the eastern contin-
ent for the office. Boosters for Clark
have established headquarters at the Hotel
Walton.

The Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce,
business men's associations and commercial
bodies and individual business firms in the
city have expressed their willingness to co-
operate with the committee in charge of the
convention. Special decorations have been
made by establishments located along the
line of the parade which will be held on
Thursday afternoon.

A court of honor has been erected on
Broad street south of Walnut, terminating
at the Academy of Music in a large obelisk
40 feet high, which is a replica of the
Washington Monument, with bas relief
busts of George Washington on its four
sides. Red, white and blue electric lights,
banners and flags, and a sprinkling of ever-
green form the general scheme of decoration
planned by Charles E. Weisberger, chair-
man of the committee on decorations.

Business sessions will be held on Tuesday
afternoon, Wednesday afternoon and Thurs-
day morning. The evenings will be devoted
to the entertainment of the visitors. A tour
of the city, including visits to many histor-
ical places and buildings, has also been ar-
ranged for next Thursday morning.

On Friday, the delegates will visit the
camp of the First Regiment of Pennsylvania
Reserves, P. O. S. of A., at Munyon's
Grove, near Fifty-fourth and Jefferson
streets, where nearly 800 members of the
order are under military discipline through-
out the entire week.

**HUGHES PHOTOGRAPHED
WITH PREHISTORIC ELEPHANT**
Candidate and His Wife Pose for Pic-
ture in Los Angeles, Cal.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Aug. 21.—Charles E.
Hughes and Mrs. Hughes were photo-
graphed yesterday standing behind a pre-
historic elephant which is supposed by
scientists to have been dead thousands of
years. The picture was taken in the
Museum of Natural History on the expo-
sition ground at Los Angeles.

Hughes laughingly declared that there
was no significance in his posing with a
dead elephant.
One of the first men to greet the Re-
publican nominee in Los Angeles was John
Murray Mitchell, a prominent citizen there,
who was a classmate of Hughes at Brown
University. Mr. Mitchell claimed credit for
having directed Hughes into the law.

"Hughes wrote the prophecy for our
class and he," the night he wished it
brought it in to me and we read it to-
gether. I noticed he had not mentioned
himself in it and called his attention to it.
"I forgot all about myself," he replied.
"What shall I say?"
"You will make a good lawyer," Mr.
Mitchell replied, and for the first time
Hughes turned his thoughts toward the
bar."

Bibles Taken From Negro Church
An investigation to discover who removed
the Bibles, pulpit, furniture and carpets
from the North Penn Negro Baptist Church
was begun today by the members of the
church who recently won a fight in court
ousting the Rev. D. D. Gibson from the
pastorate. A portion of the congregation
that remained loyal to the pastor is hold-
ing services at Twenty-eighth and Dauphin
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BETRAM W. HEY
Killed on June 29 in the Philip-
pine Islands by a native in an un-
successful attempt to rob him of
\$2000, which he was about to dis-
tribute among Government em-
ployees. He was an engineer in the
Philippines for seven years.

TO BURY MURDERED ENGINEER

Bertram W. Hey Slain While in U. S.
Government Service in Philip-
pine Islands

Bertram W. Hey, an engineer in the em-
ploy of the United States Government in
the Philippines, who was murdered by a
native while on duty here this afternoon, Hey's
death occurred on June 29. His body was
shipped on July 15 and was expected to
arrive last night at the home of his parents,
at 120 East Fisher's avenue, but failed to
reach here until today.

The young engineer had a large corps
of men in his employ. He had received
\$2000 from the Government office to pay
them off. He went to sleep with the money
in a safe near him and was found dead the
next day. There was evidence of an at-
tempt at robbery, but the money was in-
tact. The authorities made an unsuccessful
search for the murderer, who is believed to
have been one of his subordinates.

Mr. Hey was in the Government service
for seven years. He was in charge of land
surveys on the island of Batavia. He is
survived by his parents, a wife and two
children. His family had been with him
in the Philippines, but left because of the
extremely hot weather about a year ago.
He had expected to join them at the ex-
piration of his term of service this year.
The Rev. E. C. Randolph, pastor of St.
James' Methodist Church, of Olney, will
officiate at the services this afternoon.

SHOT BY WIFE'S VISITOR

Returning Home After Separation, Man
Gets Warm Reception

A husband, returning to his wife after
a separation of several months, was shot
by a man whom he found in the house with
her. The victim is Joseph Montelli, who,
since his domestic difficulties, has been living
near Locust and Pine streets, Camden, a
short distance from his wife's home.

Montelli was taken to the Cooper Hos-
pital, with a gunshot wound in his face,
but he has virtually recovered. His as-
sailant, Tony Valentine, who also lives in
that neighborhood, was committed to the
Camden County jail in default of \$1000
bail on a charge of aggravated assault and
battery.

WASPS GET GIRL BATHER

Secluded Spot to Change Clothes Was
Also Chosen by Victim

Miss Margaret Gilhooley, 18 years old,
1923 Judson street, went with friends for an
outing in National Park, along the Dela-
ware River, yesterday. She intended to go
into the river for a swim. She chose a se-
cluded spot to change her clothing for a
bathing suit.

The particulars were not learned by phy-
sicians at the Cooper Hospital. All they
know is that in some way she attracted a
nest of yellow jackets, a species of wasps,
which are said to be different from wasps
and bees in that they augment their stings
with bites. They attacked Miss Gilhooley in
force. Lotions and bandages applied were
needed to allay her pain. She went home
after she was treated. That she hadn't run
fast enough was the idea physicians had
about it.

Skull Fractured; Horse Runs Away

READING, Pa., Aug. 21.—Samuel Meyer,
well-known local commission merchant,
suffered a fractured skull and a compound
fracture of the leg when he and his wife
and child were thrown to the street by his
horse running away here today. The wife
and child escaped injury.

**"IN DEATH NOT DIVIDED," AGED
PAIR'S HOPE MAY BE FULFILLED**

Mrs. Kugel Sinking Into
Last Sleep as Spouse's
Body Lies in Adjoining
Room

Children Delay Interment
in Order That Devoted
Couple May Be Buried in
Same Grave

Deeper and deeper into the last sleep
Mrs. Christine Kugel is sinking today, to
join her husband of more than a half cen-
tury. His body is awaiting here in another
room in their home, 133 West Girard ave-
nue, where it has been waiting for four
days so that they may be buried together.
Her five grown sons and daughters watch
over the bedside of the aged woman who,
except for a brief interment yesterday, has
been unconscious since Wednesday, the day
her husband died. They do not expect her
to live until night—and then the wish oft-
expressed by both husband and wife will be
fulfilled and their bodies will be lowered
into the grave together.

Mrs. Kugel's first awakening—and per-
haps her last—since her husband died, was
tense with anxiety for her children.
"No let George?" she inquired feebly,
noticing that her husband, who had been ill
at her side, no longer was there.
"He is asleep," the children answered.
"He is in the other room, and cannot be
awakened now."
It was true. The white-haired mother
fell asleep again, smiling.
Mr. and Mrs. Kugel, both of whom were
born in Wurtemberg, Germany, first met
in this country. They were married in
1860. As the years of their joint life wore



MR. AND MRS. KUGEL

on the idea of separation became a speter
to both and frequent were the times when
they made known their longing for a
double funeral when death came. Their
longing is about to be fulfilled.

**MAKING PLANS FOR RETURN
OF PENNSYLVANIA TROOPS**

War Department Contemplates Their
Withdrawal From Border by
November 1

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—Tentative
plans for the return of Pennsylvania Na-
tional Guard troops to their homes Novem-
ber 1 have been made by the War Depart-
ment. This was learned on high official
authority today.

If the International Commission reaches
a satisfactory settlement of conditions along
the border and in the interior of Mexico,
the regular army troops now in the south-
ern republic will be withdrawn to the border
in accordance with Major General Funston's
recommendations and as soon as that is
done the National Guard troops now on
border duty will be relieved and returned
to their homes.

WILLS ADMITTED TO PROBATE

Lutheran Charities to Be Beneficiaries
of Joslin Estate in Event of
Legatees' Deaths

Contingent on the death of benefactor,
bequests of \$500 to the Orphans' Home and
Asylum for the Aged and Infirm of the
Evangelical Lutheran Church and \$1000 to
the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Chest-
nut Hill are contained in the will of John
E. Joslin, 15 Abington avenue, Chestnut
Hill, probated today. The estate, valued
at \$104,700 is left to the testator's widow
and other relatives.

Other wills probated were those of James
Boyle, Dungen, Ireland, which, in private
bequests disposes of property valued at
\$75,000; of August Fritsch, 3168 Kenning-
ton avenue, \$20,600; of Mary A. Kenney, of
2346 North Thirtieth street, \$6800, and of
Henry S. Saffell, 2335 North College ave-
nue, \$4600.

Accused of Attempt to Pick Pocket

Louis Martin, of this city, was committed
to the Camden County Jail by Recorder
Stackhouse in default of \$1000 bail today,
charged with an attempt to pick the pocket
of another Philadelphian. His intended
victim, according to the police, was John G.
Dungan, 22 years old, of 1304 Wishart
street. Dungan was on his way to Atlantic
City last night with \$48 in his pocket.

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**STIELOW'S COUNSEL ASKS
REMOVAL OF STATE ATTORNEY**

Whitman Told Knickerbocker Is Pre-
judiced Against Alleged Slayer

ALBION, N. Y., Aug. 21.—The fight to
save from the electric chair Charles E. Stie-
low, convicted of murdering Charles B.
Phelps and Margaret Wolcott, took a new
turn today when counsel for the condemned
man dispatched to Governor Whitman a
demand that District Attorney Knicker-
bocker, of Orleans County, be barred from
participation in the special hearing to be
held at Rochester.

The Governor was requested to appoint
an unprejudiced District Attorney. The
hearing was ordered by Governor Whitman
to have Knickerbocker show cause why
Stielow should not have a new trial owing
to newly discovered evidence. The new
evidence was a confession by Irving King
that cleared Stielow of the crime, but this
was later repudiated by King.

SISTER SHOT IN ACCIDENT

Brother Surrenders to Police After
Bullet Strikes Girl

Dora Georigl, 24 years old, of 2349
Walkeing street, is in the Frankford Hos-
pital suffering from a bullet wound in the
abdomen, accidentally fired by her brother
Conrad, 20 years old. A cartridge became
jammed in the barrel and while the two
were trying to extricate it the gun went off.
The brother gave himself up to the police
after helping neighbors take his sister to
the hospital. Physicians say the girl's
condition is slightly improved.

The brother went bitterly when he was
arraigned before Magistrate Beaton at the
Central Station today. Detective Tyson, of
the Frankford District, said the shooting
was accidental. The brother was allowed
to sign his own bond to appear when wanted.

Woman Ate Too Many Crabs

Stricken with severe pain while on her
way home, Bertha Williams, 30 years old,
of 128 Walnut street, Camden, was hurried
to the Cooper Hospital, where physicians
said that the woman had been poisoned by
eating too heartily of crabs. For a time
she was in a serious condition.

**HEAT WAVE CAUSES
TWO PROSTRATIONS**

Temperatures Rising as Warm
Current of Air Flows From
the Southwest

**Rise in the Temperature
During Last 24 Hours**

| | Today | Yesterday |
|----------|-------|-----------|
| 8 a. m. | 75 | 74 |
| 9 a. m. | 78 | 76 |
| 10 a. m. | 82 | 78 |
| 11 a. m. | 86 | 80 |
| Noon | 89 | 82 |
| 1 p. m. | 91 | 84 |
| 2 p. m. | 92 | 86 |

Humidity today, 63; yesterday, 76
per cent.

There is a wave of heat, a warm current
of air, flowing from the southeast to the
northwest through the middle States and
the lake region, the edge of which brought
suffering to Philadelphia today. Two persons
succumbed to the warm wind and the hot
sun in the downtown district about noon
and were taken to the Jefferson Hospital.

Miss Tillie Weaver, 25 years old, 778
South Fifth street, was overcome at Tenth
and Market streets. Passers-by called the
crossing policeman and the Jefferson Hos-
pital ambulance was called.

In the inasmuch mission, Tenth and
Locust streets, John Hazly, 55 years old,
was prostrated. He was also taken to the
Jefferson Hospital.

The temperature reached 89 at noon,
having climbed steadily all morning. At
8 o'clock it was 75. The hourly rises were
from two to six degrees above those of the
corresponding hours yesterday.

The humidity today, however, was less,
being 63 per cent in comparison with 76
per cent yesterday.

"Indications are," said Forecaster George
Bliss, "that the heat will not become in-
tense nor continue long. It will be
moderately warm for awhile, however."

Michigan, Ohio, Illinois and the western
part of Pennsylvania are in the line of the
southerly winds. At 8 o'clock this morning
there were temperatures above 80 in most
of the cities in that part of the country. In
Toledo the thermometer registered 86 de-
grees. Chicago yesterday had a tempera-
ture of 92 degrees and the minimum there
last night was 82. At Detroit and at Erie,
Pa., the temperature was 82 degrees at 8
o'clock this morning.

**CAR KILLS CYCLIST
REPAIRING MACHINE**

Trolley Strikes Men Who Stop
on Track—One Goes to
Hospital

One man was killed and another seriously
injured early today when they stopped to
repair their motorcycle on a trolley track
on Hillcrest avenue near Stenton avenue.
A fast-going Chestnut Hill trolley car,
rounding a turn, struck the men and their
machine.

The dead man was Samuel Minter, of
Darben street near Wood. His skull was
fractured. His companion, Harry Bulker,
of 130 North Eighth street, was knocked
unconscious and his back was severely
wrenched.

The men were picked up unconscious by
Policeman Peirce, of the Germantown sta-
tion, and taken to the Chestnut Hill Hos-
pital, where Minter died shortly after-
ward.

Bulker's mind was confused by the con-
fusion, but the police gathered that he and
Minter dismounted to repair the machine,
unaware that it was standing between the
rails of the trolley track at a curve that
is known in that section as a dangerous
one.

The motorman said the motorcycle dis-
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